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HOLY TRINITY HOSTS 'BLUE MASS'



Photo courtesy of HTCS

Local law enforcement and first responders were honored at last week's Blue Mass. More photos on page 2A.

BY CASSANDRA FAVRE
STAFF WRITER

So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will

strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand." Isaiah 41:10

Last week, Holy Trinity Catholic School's sixth

grade students hosted the fifth annual Blue Mass for law enforcement and first responders at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church.

The event included law enforcement officers and

firefighters from Bay St. Louis, Waveland, Diamondhead, and Hancock County, HTCS Public Relations Support Vicki Favre said.

The event is meant to

"show our appreciation for all they do to protect us," she added.

Fr. Braxton Necaice spoke at this year's Mass, but 26 sixth graders led the service, she said.

After Mass, the sixth graders served breakfast to the law enforcement officers and first responders, Favre said. After breakfast, students gave their guests a tour of the campus.

Court date set for DH mayor's assault case

BY GEOFF BELCHER
NEWS EDITOR

The simple assault case against Diamondhead Mayor



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Diamondhead Mayor Tommy Schafer

Thomas E. "Tommy" Schafer is scheduled to go to Hancock County Justice Court on Nov. 19.

A justice court worker said Tuesday that summonses would be issued to the parties in the case, but no warrants.

Diamondhead Property Owners Association President Robert Clark Marthouse II filed a complaint against Schafer in Diamondhead Municipal Court on Sept. 9.

Marthouse alleged in the complaint that Schafer "did purposely, knowingly and unlawfully cause bodily injury" to Marthouse by pushing him, "knocking him down causing him to

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Bay St. Louis moves ahead on \$8 million bond plan

BY GEOFF BELCHER
NEWS EDITOR

The Bay St. Louis City Council last week moved forward on plans to either seek General Obligation bonds up to \$8 million or procure up to an \$8 million loan from the Mississippi Development Bank.

The council initially adopted a resolution in August that it might seek the funding "for a variety of purposes, including constructing municipal buildings and facilities such as auditoriums or community

centers; buying buildings or land; repairing existing city properties; upgrading and repairing existing streets, drainage and sewerage systems, sidewalks or parking facilities; constructing or repairing or improving bridges and culverts; constructing, repairing or improving wharves, docks, harbors and appurtenant facilities; altering or changing the channels of streams and water courses; and for related purposes."

The city then legally published its intent to seek the funds, hosted a public hearing and instituted a pub-

lic comment period, but no official protests were filed, officials said.

Before voting for the resolution to move ahead last week, Councilman-at-Large Gary Knoblock again questioned the need for the funding and asked whether it would force the city to increase taxes.

"We feel very comfortable we could pick up about \$800,000 a year (through other funding sources) to pay for it," Mayor Mike Favre said,

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Hancock Food Pantry seeking donations for 2019 Turkey Drive

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The Hancock County Food Pantry is gearing up for its annual Turkey Drive.

"For many years, the Hancock County Food Pantry has strived to be able to give away frozen turkeys to the many Hancock County families that come to us for assistance during the month of November," food pantry board chair Lisa Coward

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'BLUE MASS' AT HOLY TRINITY



Scenes from Holy Trinity Catholic School's Blue Mass.

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Arrest Record

The following is a list of arrests logged at the Hancock County Justice Facility from the past week. Appearance on the jail log is not indicative of guilt, merely a record that an arrest has been made.

ECHO STAFF REPORT

Andrew W. Smith, 31, probation violation
Amber B. Allen, 26, forgery
Choncey B. Casteel III, any person who knowingly and intentionally (a) owns, operates or conducts a chop shop; (b) transports any motor vehicle or motor vehicle part to or from a location knowing it to be a chop shop; or (c) sells, transfers, purchases or receives any motor vehicle or motor vehicle part either to or from a location knowing it to be a chop shop
Steven H. Bernard, 37, hold for other agency

James B. Herndon, 35, possession of paraphernalia
Jillian R. Porter, 31, felony possession of controlled substance
Ashley T. Sharp, 43, felony possession of controlled substance
Melodie J. Roberts, 63, simple assault
Ashuri N. Patton, 24, felony possession of controlled substance, controlled substance: to sell, barter, transfer, manufacture, distribute, dispense or possess with intent to sell, barter, transfer, manufacture, distribute or dispense a controlled substance
Kendrell A. Perkins, 24, felony possession of controlled substance, controlled substance: to sell, barter, transfer, manufacture, distribute, dispense or possess with intent to sell, barter, transfer, manufacture, distribute or dispense a controlled substance
Javier A. Hutchinson, 21, contempt of court failure to appear
Virgil F. Stone, 37, contempt of court violation of protective order

Drin P. Shaw, 25, simple assault
Sanders T. Cox, 62, felony possession of controlled substance/oxy-codone, felony possession of controlled substance
Jason M. Sims, 42, contempt failure to comply, contempt of court failure to appear
James R. Barber, 31, hold for other agency
Charlene M. Bourgeois, 57, DUI 1st, driving with suspended or revoked license
Michelle M. Steno, 33, shoplifting, trespassing
Louis C. Hyde Jr., 58, contempt of court failure to appear x 5
Deidre M. Nichols, 54, shoplifting
Andrew S. Sedor, 51, simple assault
Konstantinos P. Kolidas, 38, contempt of court failure to appear, possession of paraphernalia
Tierra M. Hotard, 34, DUI 1st
Danny G. Bond, 55, contempt of court failure to appear
Donald J. Schwartz Sr., 46, hold MDOC
John A. Lyrerly, Jr., 36,

embezzlement
Donovan J. Gurneck, 27, petit larceny
Valerie D. Black, 36, felony possession of controlled substance, hold MDOC
Ashley S. Fisler, 32, possession of paraphernalia
Darby L. Watkins, 46, possession of paraphernalia
Chad E. Dunaway, 42, controlled substance: to sell, barter, transfer, manufacture, distribute, dispense or possess with intent to sell, barter, transfer, manufacture, distribute or dispense a controlled substance
Christina D. Warren, 34, contempt failure to appear
Erica M. Stojic, 29, contempt failure to appear
Jordan Bohnenstiehl, 32, drunkenness/profanity in public place, disturbance in public place
Misael E. Gonzales-Rodriguez, 21, hold PTS inmate
Troy E. Lane, 20, possession of marijuana (1-30 grams), no drivers license, no insurance
Edmund Galves, 67, simple assault
Keyon M. Nicholson, 25, false identifying information, contempt failure to appear, shoplifting

Jesse M. Linton, 35, misdemeanor possession of controlled substance, contempt failure to comply
Jennifer L. Johnson, 42, possession of paraphernalia
Thomas J. Koenenn III, 31, resisting/obstructing arrest, trespassing, drunkenness/profanity in public place x 2, disorderly conduct
Ricky Bridges, 63, no drivers license, DUI 1st
Joe L. Bowens, 57, no drivers license, no insurance
Chad A. Kinchen, 42, false identifying information, driving with suspended or revoked license, no insurance, no tag, possession of paraphernalia
Marlon C. Little, 54, hold for other agency
Crawford Croxton, 36, hold PTS inmate
Kevin Moorehead, 22, hold PTS inmate
Michael E. Slack, 31, hold PTS inmate
Carrol A. Carter, 46, contempt of court failure to appear
Lucas S. Caruso, 35, felony possession of controlled substance
Brian E. Depreo, 41, shoplifting, DUI 1st
Salvador J. Harmon, 47, contempt failure to comply

x 3
Jaron D. From an, 35, contempt of court failure to appear
Paul A. Williams Sr., 27, hold for other agency
William N. Hampton, 56, felony possession of controlled substance
Amanda S. Symonds, 39, contempt failure to appear
Richard W. Benton, 42, controlled substance: To sell, barter, transfer, manufacture, distribute, dispense or possess with intent to sell, barter, transfer, manufacture, distribute, or dispense, trafficking
Robert E. Mehan, 74, driving while license privilege cancelled or suspended, speeding, no insurance, no tag
Nicholas G. Sheppard, 23, shoplifting
David Cox, 61, DUI:other substance, driving with suspended or revoked license, failure to maintain insurance card
Michael A. Koerner, 18, burglary x 2
Jeffery R. Bryant, 43, contempt failure to pay
Kevin H. Cook, 46, DUI 1st, careless driving
Franklin E. May II, 32, contempt of court failure to appear

2019 Promote the Vote Materials Available to Teachers

SEA COAST ECHO

Promote the Vote (PTV), the Secretary of State's comprehensive K-12 voter education program, is underway with a new theme, and implementation materials for teachers.

The theme for this year's program is "MY vote is MY voice" and is designed to encourage students to use their voice at the ballot box by voting in the mock election and art and essay contests. For the second year, Mississippi Public Broadcasting (MPB) is partnering with the Agency to promote participation from schools, teachers, and students.

"Our Promote the Vote program is an excellent way to teach our students about the importance of civic engagement," stated Secretary of State Delbert Hosemann. "Governance begins at the ballot box, and PTV supports the message to students that they have a voice, and every vote counts."

"This is a very important election for Mississippi and its future," said MPB's Executive Director Ronnie Agnew. "It is my hope that through

this program more citizens will be informed about the great privilege and freedom they have to elect their public officials. MPB is honored to partner with the Secretary of State's office on this initiative. Together, we can lend our voices to educate Mississippians that they hold the power of our future in their hands when they exercise this right."

The initial PTV event is a mock statewide election for Governor, which will be held between October 1-25, 2019. A downloadable ballot will be available to participating schools on October 1.

Once students vote for their candidate using the mock ballot, teachers or administrators should tally and transmit their classroom or school vote totals by e-mail to ptv@sos.ms.gov by 5 p.m. on October 25, 2019.

Additionally, MPB is hosting a contest for "Best Mock Election Precinct" as part of this year's PTV program. One creative teacher who transforms his or her classroom into a festive election-themed "mock precinct" will win a grand prize courtesy of MPB. Teachers can participate in the competition by posting two (2) photos on social

media (Facebook and/or Instagram) and tagging @MPBOnline (make sure your post is set for public viewing). The deadline for this contest is October 25.

In addition to the mock election, PTV offers art and essay contests, available for students in grades K-12 and 6-12, respectively. The art contest, called "Proud to be a Mississippian," encourages entrants to express their patriotism and creativity by designing artwork depicting civic responsibility and voter participation.

The essay contest, called "If I Were Elected Governor, I Would..." asks entrants to identify what they consider to be a top issue facing our State, write an essay describing the issue, and outline a proposal for how they would tackle the issue as Governor, working with other elected officials.

Art and essay entries will be accepted by the Secretary of State's Office until December 6, 2019. Winners will receive an award and be eligible to participate in a ceremony in 2020 at the Mississippi State Capitol.

Downloadable PTV materials are available to participating schools and teachers at

www.sos.ms.gov/PTV and include deadlines, rules for participation in the mock election and contests, easy-to-implement ideas for how to run a fun and successful mock election in the classroom, congressional district maps, elected officials worksheets, and contest entry forms, among other information.

For more information about PTV, or to register to become a participating school or classroom, click here.



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Salvation Army Angel Tree registration begins Oct. 14

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Registration for the 2019 Salvation Army Christmas Assistance Ministry Program will take place from October 14-17 and October 21-22 during the hours of 9-11:30 a.m. and 1-4 p.m. at Hancock Resource Center offices, located at 454 Highway 90, Suite B, in Waveland (next to PRCC).

Families with children from live birth to 12 years of age (at the time of registration) are eligible for the Christmas gift program. A parent or legal guardian must apply for their own children and the person applying must bring a valid photo identification card and proof of Hancock County residency. State-issued, certified birth certificates for all children are required at time of registration. Copies will not be accepted. Applicant must

bring documented proof of income and expenses to complete the application. For families of children who are 13 and older, holiday assistance registration will take place beginning October 28th. A full list of dates will be available on Hancock Resource Center's website at www.hancockhrc.org/holidayassistance.

Please visit www.hancockhrc.org for a list of income and expense documentation required to register. Proof means you must bring all needed items at the time of application.

Families who received assistance through the 2018 program must attend one of HRC's education classes before their angels go out for adoption; applicants will receive the class schedule and be able to choose a class and time that is most appropriate to their needs. To view the class schedule in advance,

please visit HRC's calendar at www.hancockhrc.org/calendar or call the office to inquire.

The Salvation Army Angel Tree program in Hancock County is made possible through the coordination provided by Hancock Resource Center and Hope Haven Children's Services and by the generous donations of time and treasure by the many volunteers who work tirelessly to bring a bright holiday season to our county's children. If you are interested in volunteering for registration of families, distribution of gifts, or adopting an angel, please contact Victoria Mathias at vmathias@hancockhrc.org or call 228-463-8887.

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STANDUP MISSISSIPPI AGAINST THE OPIOID CRISIS

Opioid Workplace Awareness Initiative Promoting Recovery in the Workplace

Construction workers are six times more likely to die of an opioid-related death.

The opioid epidemic affects Mississippians of all backgrounds. However, Mississippians working in certain occupations are at greater risk for developing opioid use disorder. Employers can help stem the tide of opioid addiction by learning to recognize early warning signs of opioid use disorder and connecting employees to treatment and recovery support.

Learn more by visiting owai.standupms.org.



Getting to
KNOW THEM

When I was about five years old, my family and I were shopping at the long ago defunct Jitney Jungle, where Froogel's is now, when I decided I would test out my thieving bone.

For some reason, I wanted a candy bar. So instead of asking my parents for one and risking being told "no," I decided to eat a piece of the candy bar and put it back on the shelf.

What I didn't know was that my dad saw me do it. So when we walked outside, there was a police officer in the parking lot.

My dad then explained to me that he saw what I had done, that it was called stealing, and that police officers will arrest people for stealing.

We then went back inside and explained what had happened and paid for the candy bar.

Needless to say, I learned a valuable lesson that day and it wasn't to be fearful of law enforcement, it was that there would be consequences for my actions.

I never stole again. Well, there was an incident at school when I was in kindergarten involving Pixy Stix candies, but that's a story for another day.

When I was in high school, I was in a car accident. Another driver ran a stop sign. I, in my youthful ignorance, was not wearing a seat-belt, but was in the process of putting it on, since we weren't going very far. Yeah, that's not a good idea.

I hit the windshield and still have the scar on my forehead to prove it.

That day brought about my first experience with EMTs.

They took excellent care of me during the ambulance drive to Slidell.

I even remember swooning over one of the EMTs because he reminded me of a handsome character from "Days of Our Lives," which in my daze, I confessed to him.

Watching firefighters in action is also a part of this profession. I've covered several incidents where I've seen the tremendous work they do.

In Pearl River County, I've seen police officers show empathy to an older woman who was hoarding animals and honestly thought she was caring for them.

One of the PRC sheriff's deputies also helped me change my flat tire when I found myself stranded on Highway 11.

In every profession, there are bad apples, and why they seem to get all the glory and celebrity status is beyond me. Sure, their wrongdoings need to be reported.

But do we need to lump everyone from a profession into the bad category? I would say no.

Next weekend on Saturday, Oct. 5, the Waveland PD, Bay St. Louis PD, the Hancock County Sheriff's Office, and Hancock Youth for Positive Efforts are hosting National Night Out at St. Clare Catholic Church from 11



Staff Column

By Cassandra Favre

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Vaping bans will only create
a larger black market

America has a poor record of accomplishment when it comes to blanket government prohibitions, yet that doesn't mean lawmakers will use history as a guide in future decisions. The latest example: vaping.

In New York, Gov. Andrew Cuomo has issued an executive order banning e-cigarettes. Michigan residents will have a similar ban in a couple weeks courtesy of executive action. And in Mississippi, Democratic gubernatorial candidate Jim Hood has called for a ban on vaping devices after reports that a woman's death in Monroe county may have been linked to vaping.

According to a Center for Disease Control and Prevention report, 530 people have been hospitalized with what is now known as Vaping Associated Pulmonary Illness, or VAPI. Three



Guest Column
by Brett Kittredge

cases have been reported in Mississippi. Sadly, nine deaths have been reported nationally.

Therefore, we are told we must ban vaping and e-cigarettes. This would just be another example of unintended consequences due to the need to "do something" rather than looking at the entirety of the situation.

First, the potential bans ignore the fact that e-cigarettes have proven to help tobacco smokers quit. Since 2007, these products have helped an estimated

three million Americans quit smoking and a recent study published in the New England Journal of Medicine found that e-cigarettes and vaping devices were "twice as effective as nicotine replacement at helping smokers quit."

The Royal College of Physicians proclaimed in 2016, "in the interests of public health it is important to promote the use of e-cigarettes, NRT (Nicotine Replacement Therapy), and other non-tobacco nicotine products as widely as possible as a substitute for smoking in the UK." We can presume that would apply in the United States as well.

And there is a cost savings benefit from current smokers switching to the replacement devices. A 2017 study by R Street Institute found that taxpayers could save \$2.8 billion in Medicaid costs per one percent of enrollees over 25 years if users switched from com-

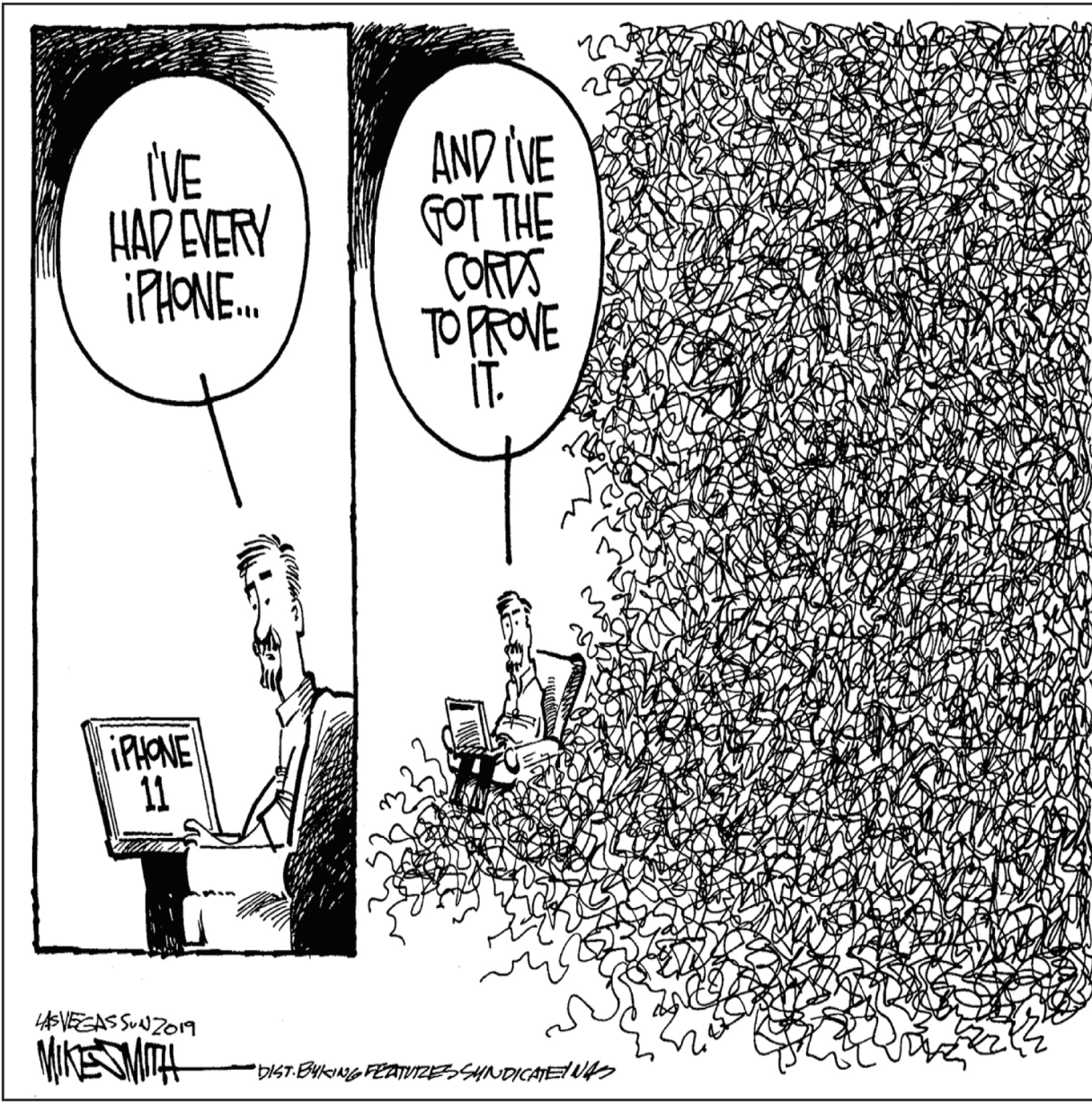
bustible cigarettes.

A ban also ignores the question of where current users, particularly the teen vapers lawmakers are particularly interested in saving, would turn. After all, teen vaping is surging.

Yet, sales of e-cigarettes have been prohibited to those under 18 since 2016, so minors are already turning to the black-market. That should be our first clue that bans don't work. Because the black market is the problem, as it usually is. So far, the overwhelming evidence is the deaths and illnesses related to vaping were the result of black-market substances, such as THC, the active ingredient in marijuana, cannabis wax and oil, and boot-legged cartridges using vitamin E. Not the products adults are legally purchasing today.

So, because teens, who are already prohibited

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Veterans Legacy Memorial

The National Cemetery Administration is launching an online memorial site to honor the 3.7 million veterans who are interred in Department of Veterans Affairs national cemeteries. Each veteran will have his or her own page on The Veterans Legacy Memorial site.

For now, each veteran's information will have certain basic details, such as where they are buried and in which branch they served. As time goes on, we (family and fellow veterans) will be able to add photos and text to our veteran's memorial page.

Not all locations of veteran burials will be included, however. Arlington National Cemetery, for example,



Guest Column

By Freddy Groves

has its own website (www.arlingtoncemetery.mil). It suggests you download the new app, ANC Explorer, and do your search on your phone. If you're at your computer, put "find a grave" in the search box. You'll end up at a Find a Gravesite page for Arlington. Put in the veteran's name and other information; you don't

need to fill in all the blanks. You'll be shown a Google map with the grave's location. Click on the star to see a photo of the headstone.

The ANC Explorer app on your phone would come in handy addition if you're visiting Arlington. It will highlight points of interest, send you on self-guided tours and show front and back photos of

headstones. Find it on the App Store or Google Play.

If you have questions about the Veterans Legacy Memorial, go online to

www.vlm cem.va.gov/faq / and scroll down the questions. Check for links to other databases covering veterans interred in private cemeteries and others.

Don't worry if you can't find your veteran -- the project is just getting started. At this point I was able to find only my grandfather.

My opinion? They announced this project too early. A better grave locator is the old one: gravelocator.cem.va.gov/index.html



Midterms for students at Unique Transitions Training Center Inc was a special event. Students Lisa Smith, William Miller and Tianna Lang presented their business plans for the salons of their dreams to Ms Jill, Branch Manager of Keesler Credit Union, Torien Preston and Alicia Preston, school board members. The projects enclosed a blueprint of the students' respective salon models, as well as business and financial plans. "It is the goal of the staff of UTTC to train our students to be successful entrepreneurs upon completion of their course," facility director Constance St. Julien-Mims said.

Photo submitted

Fundraiser scheduled for victims of Hurricane Dorian

SEA COAST ECHO

Lazy Gator Sports Bar and Steamer, 3410 Yacht Club Cir. in Diamondhead, will host a fundraiser this Sunday, Sept. 29, beginning at 12:30 p.m., for the victims of Hurricane Dorian. The Castaways' Chris Houchin and Carey Laine will perform.

One Book One Pass: "The Art and History of Editorial Cartooning"

SEA COAST ECHO

The One Book One Pass Committee announces a special program on "The Art and History of Editorial Cartooning" on Thursday, September 26th at 7pm in the Pass Christian City Court Building. One Book One Pass is a community reading project and the 2019 selection is "Soul of America: The Battle For Our Better

Angels" by Pulitzer Prize Winning Author Jon Meacham.

We are excited to welcome Pulitzer Prize winning editorial cartoonist Marshall Ramsey who will speak about the art of editorial cartoons. He will be joined by Professor Robert Pauley from the University of Southern Mississippi-Gulf Coast who will speak about the history of

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Coastal Mississippi Wins Best Social Media Strategy and Mississippi Research-In-Action Awards at Governor's Conference on Tourism

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Coastal Mississippi was honored with the Best Social Media Strategy Award and 2019 Mississippi Research-In-Action Award at this year's Governor's Conference on Tourism, held in Columbus, Mississippi. The regional convention & visitors bureau also took home the Travel Media Award on behalf of Charles McCool of McCool Travel, who had also been nominated by Coastal Mississippi.

According to the Mississippi Tourism Association, Coastal Mississippi was awarded the Best Social Media

Strategy Award due to its dedication to not only developing a strong online presence, but also due to strategizing its digital execution to maximize results and interaction with audiences.

Coastal Mississippi entered into a partnership with Sparkloft Media, an award-winning social media agency, prior to launching its new brand in March 2019. A social media playbook was developed, placing an increased emphasis on both informational and inspirational content creation, utilizing five pillars of audience-driven themes aimed at capitalizing on the strengths and assets of the tri-county region. Once

Coastal Mississippi: The Secret Coast was launched, all social handles were changed to reflect the updated brand language, and the organization implemented the #SecretCoast hashtag with the goal of finding and generating conversations by visitors and locals alike. To date, over 1,000 posts include the hashtag on Instagram alone, and overall media impressions have seen a dramatic increase. In the three months following the brand launch, Coastal Mississippi saw tangible YOY growth in March (230 percent), April (370 percent) and May (200 percent). New followers across all platforms after implementation of new

brand were 9,056.

Coastal Mississippi was awarded the Coastal Region 2019 Mississippi Research-In-Action Award for its multitude of research initiatives prior to the launch of Coastal Mississippi: The Secret Coast. These awards date back to 2001 and are presented by Tom Van Hynning, Tourism Economist & Data Analyst at Mississippi Development Authority.

"This recognition should be given to our tourism industry leaders who we value for their talents and achievements through their outstanding accomplishments," said Annette Rand, President of the Mississippi Tourism

Association. "We are happy to have the opportunity to honor the winners of these awards as we truly appreciate their dedication not only to our organization but to the entire tourism industry, the state's fourth largest industry."

"It is a great honor to be awarded such accolades amongst an array of phenomenal, hard-working tourism entities across the State of Mississippi," said Milton Segarra, CEO of Coastal Mississippi. "By promoting a destination through inspirational visuals and storytelling, social media - and media coverage across the board - plays a vital role in many aspects of tourism, particularly in the travel planning, infor-

mation search, and decision-making process. I am extremely proud of the team at Coastal Mississippi and am excited for the future of the tourism industry on The Secret Coast."

Coastal Mississippi is an organization charged with promoting South Mississippi as a tourism and convention destination worldwide.

Its mission centers on attracting ever-increasing numbers of leisure, convention, sports and business visitors to the area. It is dedicated to maximizing the travel and tourism industry for South Mississippi.

Visit CoastalMississippi.com to learn more.

Vaping

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from purchasing these products, have resorted to the black market, we must ban adults from being able to purchase these products, at least when it comes to the fruit and candy flavors that most prefer (whether we are talking about teens or adults trying to kick the cigarette habit). This will only lead to a larger black market, and more illnesses, and more deaths. All the things those in favor of banning the products seemingly are trying to prevent. Or maybe it will just push more users back to tobacco products, which, coincidentally, are at an all-time low among minors.

We've played the prohibition game before. It doesn't end well. During alcohol prohibition, individuals made their own liquor that was often much more danger-

ous than what you could legally buy prior to prohibition. Today, many people roll their own cigarettes in locales that have absurdly high taxes. Again, these are often more dangerous as you can get more nicotine by leaving out a filter.

And when it comes to vaping, teens can turn to YouTube for do-it-yourself videos on raising nicotine levels. This won't change if and when any of these proposals to regulate or eliminate vaping or e-cigarettes becomes law.

The bans won't provide an alternative to current cigarette smokers, nor will they stop teens from vaping. Instead, they will only increase lawlessness. Hopefully policymakers will review the full situation before making hasty decisions that sound good to their political ears.

Brett Kittredge is the Director of Marketing and Communications for Mississippi Center for Public Policy, the state's non-partisan, free-market think tank.

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a.m. to 2 p.m.

I don't remember an event of this kind from my childhood. However, I do remember going to the police station as part of a Girl Scout badge to get fingerprinted. I also remember Smokey the Bear making appearances at our schools.

I think it's a good opportunity to meet our local law enforcement officers, and

first-responders.

They are not there just when people do bad things. I've seen them host several community outreach programs to inform the public about things that affect them, such as Neighborhood Watch, self-defense classes, and fire safety classes, to name a few.

It's a great opportunity to teach children how to respect first responders. I can't imagine having a job where I didn't know if I would come home alive after a shift.

My nephew will be in

town that weekend so I'll be taking him. He has the biggest fascination with first-responders and their vehicles, as I'm sure most children his age do.

For the most part, my nephew knows the basics of what police officers, firefighters, and EMTs do, but there is much more for him to learn and I'm glad he will be here that weekend to go with me.

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Hancock Co. Historical Society to host 'Cocktails & Canapés' this Friday, Sept. 27



Photo courtesy of the HCHS

Hancock County Historical Society Museum/Library is located at 108 Cue St. in Bay St. Louis. The Historical Society will host "Cocktails & Canapés" from 4-7 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 27, at the Kate Lobrano House, 108 Cue St., Bay St. Louis. "Coastal Dress" attire. \$25 donation per guest. For more information or to RSVP, please call 228-467-4090.



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The Monte Walden Collection of Native American Artifacts.

Obituaries

**JETHRO BENTLEY
CURTIS "POOLEY" JACKSON JR.
ALBERT ALLEN JAMES**

JETHRO BENTLEY

Memorial Service will be held Sat. Sept. 28, 2019 at 1 pm., in Charles B. Murphy Gymnasium, 6096 First Ave., Pearlinton, MS., for Jethro Bentley age 72 of Pearlinton, MS. who died Sept., 3, 2019 in Slidell, LA. A native of Catahoula, MS. Jethro attend Valena C. Jones Elementary School, and graduated from Hancock Central High School. He was baptized at Little Providence Missionary Baptist Church in Catahoula, MS., during his youth. There he served as Junior Deacon and sung in a quartet with the male choir. He was skilled as a truck driver, welder, sandblaster and painter. He spent many enjoyable hours fishing, watching westerns, and football games. Survivors includes wife Linda Bentley of Pearlinton, MS., 5 sons: Jethro Brown of Pass Christian, MS., Eric Bentley, Jared Bentley both of Syracuse, NY.,

Jeffery Bentley of Lakeshore, MS., and Bryant Bentley of Pearlinton, MS., 1 daughter, Brittany Brown (Denzel) of Tuscaloosa, Al., 11 grandchildren, 4 brothers: Jimmy Bentley (Rachel), Bennie Bentley (Celestine), Lonnie Simpson (Rose) and James Simpson, 2 sisters: Earlean Burney and Henrietta Simpson, four brother-in-laws: Arthur Keys Jr., (Willie Marley), Earnest Keys (Lenora), Aaron Keys, and Joseph Keys, sister-in-law, Dora Fulton, a host of nieces, nephews,relatives and friends. Preceded him in death his father Antoine Bentley. Baylous Funeral Home in charge of arrangement.



CURTIS "POOLEY" JACKSON JR.

Funeral service will be held Sat. Sept., 28, 2019 at 11 am., in St. Matthew Missionary Baptist Church for Curtis "Pooley" Jackson Jr. age 72 of Picayune, MS., who died Tues. Sept. 17, in Baton Rouge, LA., Dr. Michael Kelly will officiate at the service, Burial will be in the New Palestine Cemetery, under the direction of Baylous Funeral Home. A native of

Picayune MS., he was in the U.S. Army, he detail cars at Dub Herring Ford. Curtis was a member of St. Matthew Missionary Baptist Church. Survivors include his wife Betty Sue Jackson, Picayune, MS., 4 sons, Wayne Jackson, Terry Jackson and Timothy Jackson all of Picayune, MS., Lawrence Bolar of Richmond, VA., 1 daughter Yvette Hawkins of Richmond, CA., he raise Secoya Edwards of Picayune, MS., 12 grandchildren, 9 great grandchil-

dren, 3 brothers, Nathaniel, Edward and Phillip all of Picayune, MS .,5 sisters Betty, Ada, Vanessa, Cherrie and Sadie, a special nieces Felicia Jackson, a host of of nieces, nephews, aunts, relatives and friends, preceded in death by his parents, Curtis and Beatrice Jackson. Visitation will be Sept. 28, 2019 from 9 am. until 11 am. in St. Matthew Baptist Church. Baylous Funeral in charge of all arrange-

ALBERT ALLEN JAMES

Funeral service will be held Sat. Sept 28, 2019 at 11 am. in Church of The Living God Resurrection in Waveland, MS. for Albert Allen James age 73 of Waveland, MS., who died Sept. 18, 2019 in Gulfport, MS. The Rev. Joel Wallace Sr. will officiate at the service. Burial will be in the Waveland Cemetery under the direction of Baylous Funeral Home. A native of New Orleans, LA., he was a retired Deputy Sheriff of Hancock County for 21 years. He was a member of Church of The Living God Resurrection. Survivors include wife, Marie James of Waveland, MS., 2 sons, Allen James Thomas and Anthony Paul James both of Waveland, MS., 5 daughters Bernice Marie Lewis, Victoria Jeanette Lewis, Tina Rochelle James, Cybil Ann James and Dwan Deadrick

James all from Waveland, MS., 23 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren, 2 sisters, Phyllis Smith of TN., Betty Clark, Ala., 2 brothers Alex Gillum, of New Orleans, LA., Alvin Dillon of Waveland, MS., a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews relatives and friends . Preceded in death by his parents, Albert James and Novella Lewis James. 2 grandchildren, Nikeya Washington and Raelyn James, sister Bernice Hawkins. Visitation Sat. Sept 28, 2019 from 10 am until 11 am in Church of The Living God Resurrection under the direction of Baylous Funeral Home.



Court

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fall over chairs, landing on the ground back first." The alleged incident took place on Sept. 4 when Marthouse, Schafer and other members of the Community Collaborative Committee met to discuss

the city and POA amenities. "The event in question occurred during an official city/POA meeting known as the Community Collaborative," according to a statement released by the POA. "This turn of events saddens us. This incident occurs at the most critical time in our community where we all need to pull together."

Schafer's attorney Tim Holleman said publicly that there was "no substance" to the charge and he looked forward to getting people in court and "putting (them) under oath and letting them testify." The Diamondhead City Council last week voted to appoint Councilwoman Nancy Depreo to replace Schafer on the Community Collaborative Committee.

Bond

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so there should be no need to raise millage. Administration officials, however, said there was no guarantee that could happen every year, and interest rates are currently low, so it made sense to procure the bond. Favre reiterated that eight million was the maximum amount, and the city might

not need that much to do the work it needs to do. Ward 6 Councilman Josh DeSalvo said the bond issue would be an investment in the city, particularly since it would allow infrastructure development in his ward, where there are dozens of pricey, waterfront homes that can currently only be accessed by dirt and gravel roads. The council adopted last week's resolution unanimously, meaning the next step in the process would be to move ahead and seek the funds.

Drive

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said in a release. For years, the pantry was able to utilize grant funding to cover the costs of the turkeys, Cowand said. However, that grant funding "disappeared several years ago and the pantry has had to rely on funding from the local community," she said in the release. "Last year, with the help of an anonymous donor, the local community contributed over \$8,000 in our 2018 turkey drive

and we were able to give away frozen turkeys to 759 families during the month of November," Cowand said. The pantry is once again seeking to raise \$8,000 to purchase frozen turkeys this year. "An anonymous donor has once again come forward and pledged to match up to \$3,500 contributed by the local community," Cowand said. "So we are appealing to the Hancock County community to join our 2019 turkey drive." Contributions can be sent to the Hancock County Food Pantry at P.O. Box 4313, Bay St. Louis, MS, 39521 or made using the PayPal

feature on the food pantry's website at www.hancockcounty-foodpantry.org. The pantry asks that contributions be designated "2019 Turkey Drive." Donations must be received by Oct. 20 in order for the pantry to begin distributing turkeys on Nov. 1. The pantry was founded in 1986 and is the only food pantry in the county. It serves an average of 650 families per month and it entirely volunteer run. The pantry is located at 9972 Hwy.. 603 and is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to noon. For more information, contact pantry volunteers at 228-467-2790.

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editorial cartoons. Please join us to learn more about this fascinating area of art and journalism and political commentary! The program is free and open to the public! The Pass Christian City Court

building is located at 105 Hiern Avenue in Pass Christian. The One Book One Pass program is sponsored by the McMullan Family Foundation, the City of Pass Christian, BXS Insurance, Pass Christian Books and Cat Island Coffeehouse, Walmart Community Foundation and the Friends of the Pass Christian Library. To learn more, you can find One Book One Pass on Facebook or email at passchristianlibrary@gmail.com or call 228-452-4596.

Special Forces *Fishing*

Had some of our nations finest on the boats recently. Myself and captain Matt, recently ran a 2 boat trip of Special Warfare Combat Crewmen or "SWCC". These brave young men were from all over the lower 48, but carried themselves the same. These special forces guys always seem to have the same mannerisms, and "swagger". These fellas are razor sharp, and pick things up lightning quick. I don't really get star struck when I meet famous actors, musicians or athletes, but I do when I meet these guys. These are the folks I truly admire and envy most.



SHORE THING FISHING REPORT

by Capt. Sonny Schindler

We spent the morning drifting shorelines, picking up speckled trout and redfish. The guys that didn't really know how to fish, were experts after an hour or so. They had no problem whooping the big drum and jacks, we

encountered during our trip either. The common theme on the trip, was just to relax, and enjoy the day. It wasn't the biggest haul of fish, or worst haul of fish our boats have ever seen,

but it really didn't matter. It was about recharging these guys mental batteries. Most days, these brave warriors are doing things that keep you and me safe and free. They have more stress in their lives than I doubt most human beings we'll ever comprehend. Being able to show these boys a fun time on the water was truly an honor and a privilege. These gentlemen were extremely appreciative of everything we saw, caught and did. Remember folks, it ain't always about "catching a limit". Life's about the journey, not the destination. We would like to give a big THANK YOU to our new friends at SWCC, and all the members of our armed forces. We appreciate everything you do for us, and this great nation. As always, have fun and be safe



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Tigers improve to 5-0, Pass Christian falls; Hawks & Rocks return to action this week



Photo by Richard Gleber

Bay High defensive end Jordan Calomese (#8) wraps up a Perry Central running back during the Tigers' 21-8 road win last Thursday evening. The Tigers are off this Friday night.

BY JOSEPH W. GEX, II
STAFF WRITER

The area experienced its first off-week of high school football last Friday evening when both Hancock and St. Stanislaus were idle while both Bay High and Pass Christian were on the road.

This week, Bay High will enjoy the first of two off-weeks while Pass Christian will have Homecoming and the Hawks and Rocks return to action.

The Bay High Tigers went on the road and played a sloppy game against the Bulldogs of Perry Central but remained undefeated with a 21-8 victory in New Augusta.

The Tigers (5-0) endured turnovers, a wet field, and sloppy execution to deliver their fifth consecutive win in the Eric Collins era. The victory helped send their head coach to Evangel University's Hall of Fame weekend in Springfield,

Missouri, where he was being enshrined in the school's Athletic Hall of Fame.

Bay High's Josh Peters scored on two quarterback sneaks and Noah Cutter added a third score on a 27-yard scoring run in the third quarter.

Cutter led the offensive attack with 92 yards and 19 carries followed by Zachary West with 79 yards rushing on six carries. Sam Sheppard added 29 yards rushing on seven carries.

On defense, the Tigers had a difficult time stopping Tyrion Sumrall who racked up 211 yards rushing, a touchdown and a two-point conversion on 32 carries. Carson Moran led the charge with eight total tackles and fumble recovery.

This Friday evening the Tigers will be idle. They return to action on Friday, October 4th against Pass Christian on the road in the division opener for both schools.

The Pirates (3-2)

dropped their second consecutive game when they fell to North Pike 33-27 on the road.

The Pirates got behind early and were not able to recover.

In the game, Dustin Allison threw two touchdown aeriels to Andrew Moffett (2, 27) and an 80-yard scoring pass to Kameron White. He also ran for a 16-yard rushing touchdown. He passed for 314 yards and rushed for 75 more.

This week the Pirates celebrate Homecoming and will host the Perry Central Bulldogs in an Bulldogs to get back on the winning track. To do so, the Pirates will need to slow down Tyrion Sumrall who rushed for over 200 yards against Bay High last week.

The Pirates' balanced attack should be able to counter the Bulldogs Wing-T attack and bring Homecoming joy to McDonald Stadium.

The Hancock Hawks (3-1) enjoyed an idle Friday evening last week. This

Friday the Hawks will take a trip East down Interstate 10 to tangle with the Ocean Springs Greyhounds (1-3) who were also idle last week.

The Hawks will look to open the gates for RB Sebastian Fausett who has 576 yards rushing and six touchdowns on 86 carries so far this season. Hawk QB Sema'j Robertson has rushed for 284 yards and a touchdown and thrown for 400 yards and five touchdowns.

Jordan Zulli leads the receivers with 12 catches for 234 yards and two scores.

On defense, Colby McGough paces the area with 51 tackles while Cameron Ganier checks in with 32 stops.

The defensive duo will have their work cut out for them trying to slow down Blake Noblin who has passed for 562 yards and six touchdowns and rushed for 265 yards and five more scores.

If the Hawk offense is able to keep the ball out of Noblin's hands, it will be a happy ride home back to Kiln.

The St. Stanislaus Rock-a-chaws also enjoyed an off-week last Friday evening.

This Friday evening the Rocks will again travel out of state to complete their month long road trip before returning home on October 4th.

This Friday the Rocks (2-2) will make the trip to Morgan City, LA, to take on Central Catholic in an effort to get back on the winning track before division play starts.

Central Catholic and the Rocks have never met on the gridiron.

Coming out of the idle night, Max Favre has passed for 886 yards and eight touchdowns. Dallas Payne leads the receiving corps with 26 catches for 353 yards and four touchdowns followed by Bradley Darby with 19 catches for 230 yards and a touchdown.

The rushing offense has been held in check during the first half of the season with Brandon Bordelon rushing for 157 yards and three touchdowns in limited action.

On defense, the Rocks

are paced by Trustin Northington with 32 tackles followed by Blake Bilich with 29 and Lee Negrotto with 28.

Look for SSC to establish consistent execution on offense against Central Catholic as they prepare to head into the division schedule.

All games are slated for a 7pm kickoff and this will be the final week with mandated heat timeouts halfway through each quarter of play.

See you at the game!

FARM BUREAU PLAYER OF THE WEEK



Congratulations to Bay High School's Carson Moran for being selected Farm Bureau Player of the week. In Bay's win against Perry Central, Carson had 9 tackles, 1 tackle-for-loss, and 1 fumble recovery. Great job Carson and the rest of the Tigers on your 5-0 start to the 2019 season.

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Pearl River goalkeeper named NJCAA's best for Week 3

SEA COAST ECHO

POPLARVILLE, Miss. — It's been a good week for Pearl River freshman John Bowman (Bay St. Louis; Bay).

Fresh off of leading the undefeated Wildcats (5-0-1 overall) to a 2-0 record last week, Bowman was named the MACJC Goalkeeper of the Week on Tuesday.

Wednesday, Bowman was honored by the NJCAA, landing the national Goalkeeper of the Week honor.

During last week's sweep of Southwest and Jones College, Bowman turned away five shots in PRCC's 6-2 victory over the Bears last Tuesday; he had received a yellow card and was not in goal for the Bears' two goals. The freshman then saved all four shots he faced Friday in a 4-0 shutout at JC.

Bowman has already added to his impressive form, leading PRCC to a 6-0 victory over visiting East Central on Tuesday. The clean sheet helped push Bowman's shutout streak to 473 consecutive minutes without surrendering a goal.

Through six games, Bowman has stopped 23 of 24 shots he's faced. Bowman's 0.16 goals against average currently ranks 11th in the NJCAA



and his .958 save percentage is good enough for ninth nationally; both numbers are good enough for second among keepers who have played more than two games. His four shutouts are tied for tops in the country.

HONORABLE WILDCATS

Wednesday's recognition isn't the first time a Wildcat has landed a NJCAA honor. Bowman's

predecessor, Kobe Lie (Hattiesburg; North Forrest), was named the NJCAA Goalkeeper of the Week twice last season. Bowman's counterpart on the women's soccer team, Paige Horsnell (London, England), was also named the MACJC Goalkeeper of the Week on Tuesday.

Bowman is the first MACJC men's soccer player to be honored by the NJCAA in 2019.



Wednesday

- Swimming: Pass Christian vs Hancock/Long Beach/Pascagoula, Marsha Barbour Center, 4:30 p.m.

Thursday

- Volleyball: Bay High vs Vancleave, 6:30 p.m.
- Volleyball: Hancock at Harrison Central, 6:30 p.m.
- Volleyball: OLA at Richton, 6:30 p.m.
- Volleyball: Pass Christian vs Moss Point, 6:30 p.m.

Friday

- Football: Hancock at Ocean Springs, 7 p.m.
- Football: Pass Christian vs Perry Central (H/C), 7 p.m.
- Football: St. Stanislaus at Central Catholic, 7 p.m.

Saturday

- Cross Country: OLA/Pass Christian/St. Stanislaus at Biloxi Invitational, TBD
- Swimming: Hancock/OLA/Pass Christian/St. Stanislaus at Demourelle Invitational in Biloxi, 9 a.m.

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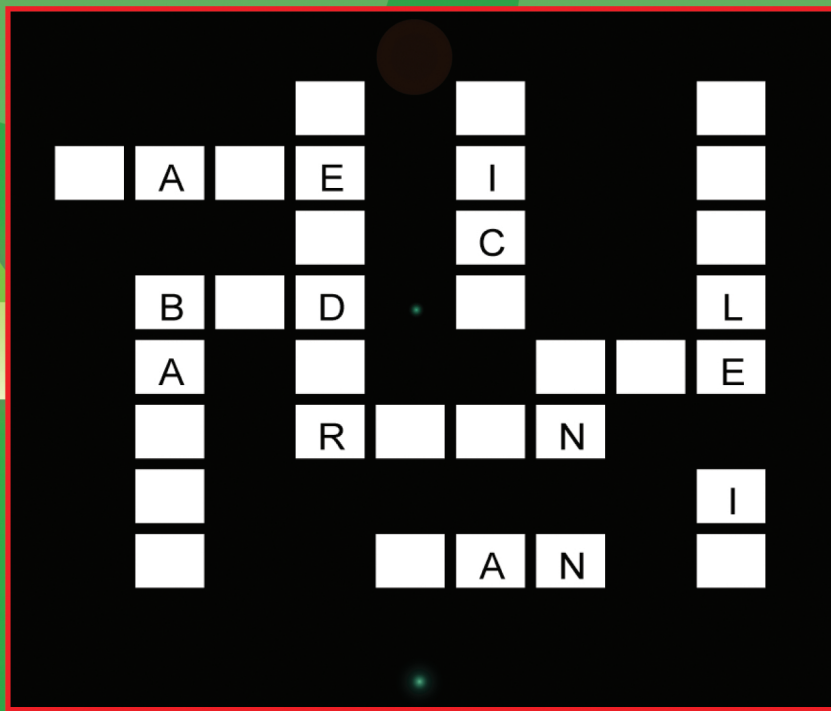


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SAINT STANISLAUS HOSTS 49TH ACADEMIC HONORS CONVOCATION

SEA COAST ECHO

The Saint Stanislaus College Café was the setting for the 49th Annual Academic Honors Convocation at Saint Stanislaus. Students in grades eight through twelve, who excelled academically during the 2018-2019 school year, were recognized and honored on Sunday, September 15 during the convocation at SSC.

Members of the Saint Stanislaus Administrative Team were present to distribute the academic honors to students. They included Brother Barry Landry S.C., President; Mr. Gary Blackburn, Principal; Mr. Tyler Harris, Director of Student Activities; Mrs. Nancy Artigues, Dean of Academics; Mr. Freddy West, Director of Residency, and, Mrs. Jennifer Taylor, Director of Guidance. Mrs. Nancy Artigues opened the program by welcoming everyone present and served as Master of Ceremonies for the evening. Junior, Wallace St. Paul offered the invocation.

At each grade level, Alpha Honor Roll recipients for the previous school year were recognized. Current eighth graders included Athan Alexander, John Andre, Harrison Brown, Spencer Cornell, Brennan Couvillion, Bradley Heitzmann, Alexander Legardelur – Eastham, Tristan Summers, and Brady Wallis.

Freshmen recipients were Fulton Ascherl, David Bonck, Joseph Cattone, Bryce Deano, Edward Dezendorf, William Dreher, Braden Logan, Grant May, Kyle Stegall, and Louis Weber.

Sophomore Alpha Honor Roll recipients included Joseph Bradford, Karl Breisacher, Benjamin Chen, Alexander Fabra, Lane Gex, Joshua Keith, Byron Krohn, Jackson LeBlanc, Carson Leverett, Anthony Licciardi, Connor Macomber, Alexander Marthouse, Dylan McShane, Richard Montjoy, Jackson Morris, Gage Rabby, Tanner Reinike, and Brandon Rhodes.

Current juniors recognized were Jack Bonck, Luke Borchelt, Timothy Carlson, Keaton Cunningham, Andrew Dufrene, Cole Fletcher, Liam Flickinger, Joel Grumme, Tyler Koenenn, Jiarui Li, Andrew Mayer, Ethan McNeil, Thomas Mortillaro, and Grant Sides.

And, the seniors honored included Braxton Bean, Luke Beyer, Brandon Bordelon, Evan Byre, Samuel Carter, Yufei Chen, Cameron Corr, Thomas Crowe, Brandon Elkins, John Gregory, Joshua Grumme, William Hand, Ian Hardt, Joseph Hebert, Thomas Hillard, Jaeyoon Kim, Chance LeBlanc, Easton Logan, Jackson Maillho, Ryan



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12th grade President's Honor Roll.

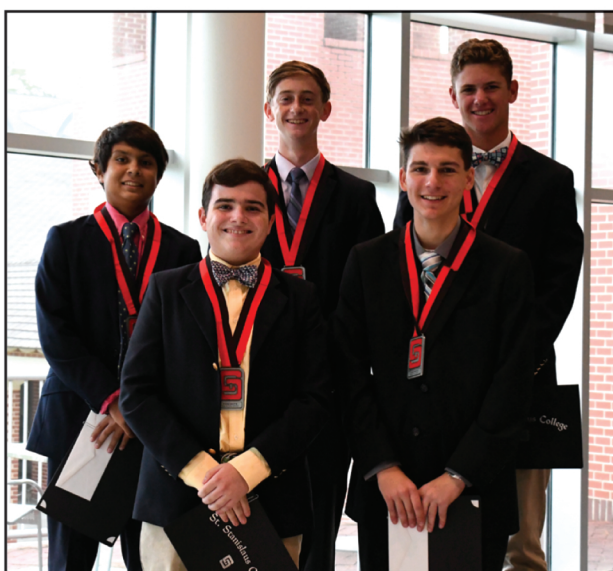


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11th grade President's Honor Roll.



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10th grade President's Honor Roll.

Necaise, Nicholas Quintini, Aiden Theobald, Noah Theriot, Sebastian Walker, Charles West, and Thomas Williams.

President's Honor Roll students were recognized as those students who achieved a perfect 4.0 grade point average for the entire 2018-2019 school year. For this outstanding accomplishment, thirty-three students received metals from Saint Stanislaus president, Brother Barry Landry, and principal, Mr. Gary Blackburn.

Current eighth grade President's Honor Roll recipients were William Ascherl, Benjamin Cappel, Clayton Fletcher, Cameron Gremillion, Joshua Hartl, Ronald Kellum, Christopher Mavar, Richard Niolet, Heath Shinn, Matthew Simpson, Jaden Tran, Alexander Walker, Jaxon West, and Henry Williams.

Freshman recipients included were Zachary May, Brady McCaw, and

Brice Newton.

Current sophomores recognized were Clayton Bryan, Benjamin Carrige, Carter Davidson, John DiMento, Ethan Jacobi, Charles Kearney, and Keegan Leverett.

Junior recipients recognized were Michael Burns, Peiton Fasullo, Gabriel Sandoz, Wallace St. Paul, and Nicholas Toepfer.

And, the seniors honored included Tiernan Alderman, Bradley Dossett, Houston Holman, and Brennan Toepfer.

Mrs. Jennifer Taylor, National Junior and Senior Honor Society Moderator, and Mr. Gary Blackburn awarded NHS and NJHS members their membership cards. Mrs. Taylor also led the two groups of inductees in their pledge as the newest members of these academic honor societies at Saint Stanislaus.

Current members of the Saint Stanislaus Brother Louis Joseph Richard Chapter of the National Junior Honor Society are



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12th grade Alpha Honor Roll.



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11th grade Alpha Honor Roll.



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10th grade Alpha Honor Roll.

Joseph Cattone, Edward Dezendorf, Zachary May, Brady McCaw, and Kyle Stegall.

This year's NJHS inductees include Brice Newton, Louis Weber, William Ascherl, Harrison Brown, Benjamin Cappel, Brennan Couvillion, Clayton Fletcher, Cameron Gremillion, Joshua Hartl, Ronald Kellum, Christopher Mavar, Heath Shinn, Matthew Simpson, Triston Summers, Jaden Tran, Alexander Walker, Brady Wallis, Jaxon West, and Henry Williams.

Current members, in their second year, of the SSC Brother Peter Basso Chapter of the National Honor Society are Bradley Dossett, Santiago Pacheco, Michael Burns, Peiton Fasullo, Liam Flickinger, Jiarui Li, Andrew Mayer, Thomas McArthur, Ethan

McNeill, Gabriel Sandoz, Wallace St. Paul, Nicholas Toepfer and Nathan Wojtowicz.

NHS members, in their third year, of the SSC Chapter of the National Honor Society are Tiernan Alderman, Luke Beyer, Evan Byrne, Thomas Crowe, William Hand, Joseph Hebert, Houston Holman, Jackson Maillho, Nicholas Quintini, Aiden Theobald, and Charles West.

This year's NHS inductees include Luke Borchelt, Karl Breisacher, Clayton Bryan, Keaton Cunningham, John DiMento, Brandon Elkins, Alexander Fabra, Lane Gex, Joel Grumme, Joshua Grumme, Ethan Jacobi, Charles Kearney, Joshua Keith, Keegan Leverett, Chance LeBlanc, Jackson

LeBlanc, Carson Leverett, Connor Macomber, Alexander Marthouse, Tanner Reinike, Brandon Rhodes, Austin Schruff, William Trapani, and Thomas Williams.

Following the presentation of academic awards, Mrs. Nancy Artigues invited Brennan Toepfer and Jaeyoon Kim, Co-Presidents of the Mu Alpha Theta math honor society chapter, and senior officers – Houston Holman, Tiernan Alderman, and Sam Carter – to the lectern for the induction of its newest members.

Mr. Jordan Roy, Moderator of Saint Stanislaus' Chapter of Mu Alpha Theta, briefly explained the significance of the organization's

Honors

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insignia, reviewed the history, growth, power and future of mathematics in our world, then he inducted the new members. Mr. Gary Blackburn, Principal, and Mrs. Nancy Artigues, Dean of Academics, presented the newly inducted members with their certificates of membership and membership pins.

Returning members of the Brother Ray Kuhn Chapter of Mu Alpha Theta Honor Society were Tiernan Alderman, Luke Borchelt, Michael Burns, Evan Byrne, Timothy Carlson, Sam Carter, Yufei Chen, Bradley Dossett,

9th grade Preident's Honor Roll.

Joshua Elkins, Peiton Fasullo, Lane Gex, Joel Grumme, Joshua Grumme, Brennan Hayward, Joseph Hebert, Houston Holman, Jaeyoon Kim, Tyler Koennen, Carson Leverett, Keegan Leverett, Gordon

Licciardi, Jackson Maillho, Andrew Mayer, Wallace St. Paul, Gabriel Sandoz, Nour Tayara, Nicholas Toepfer, Brennan Toepfer, Sebastian Walker, Lyle Williams, and Liangyu Zhang. New members of Mu

9th grade Alpha Honor Roll.

Alpha Theta Honor Society included Clayton Bryan, Michael Cabell, Andrew Dufrene, Jiarui Li, Ethan McNeill, Thomas Mortillaro, Austin Schruff, Grant Sides, and Chengcheng Zhau.

The Saint Stanislaus 49th Academic Honors Convocation concluded with closing remarks from Mrs. Nancy Artigues and with a prayer, which was offered by junior Thomas Mortillaro.



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8th grade President's Honor Roll.

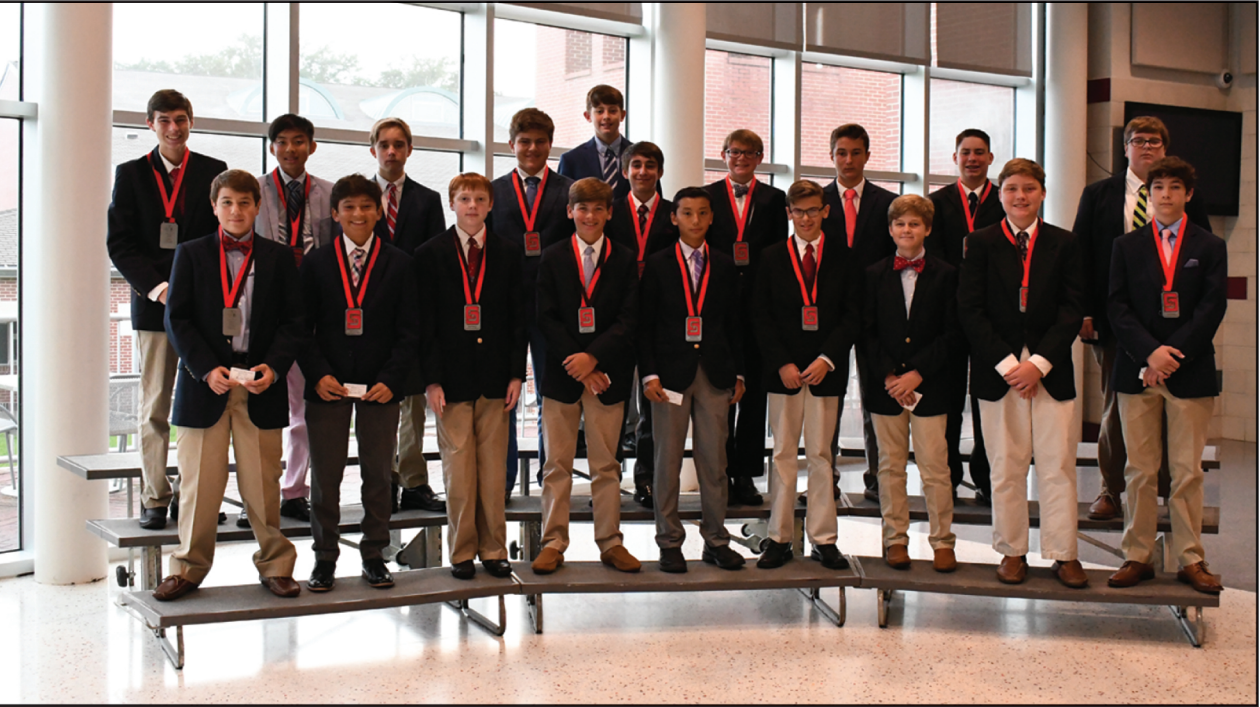


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- Mississippi Welcome Center - Hancock County, I-10 and Hwy. 607 (Exit 2) in Pearllington
- Mississippi Welcome Center - Jackson County, I-10 Westbound (Exit 75) in Moss Point

The Community CALENDAR



SEPTEMBER 27
• The Hancock County Historical Society will host “Cocktails & Canapés” from 4-7 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 27, at the Kate Lobrano House, 108 Cue St., Bay St. Louis. “Coastal Dress” attire. \$25 donation per guest. For more information or to RSVP, please call 228-467-4090.

• The Clermont Harbor Civic Association meeting is scheduled for Sept. 27 at 7 p.m. at the Clermont Harbor Methodist Church, located at the corner of Clermont and Loor Streets. Come on out and meet your neighbors.

SEPTEMBER 28
• Everyone is invited to a potluck “Breakfast in the Garden” from 9-10:30 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 28, in the Bay St. Louis Community Garden on the corner of St. Fancies and Bookter St. Please bring something to share. Flatware, cups, coffee and juice will be provided by the Hancock County Master Gardeners. For more information, contact Albert Ghergich at 504-336-8632.

• An Overeaters Anonymous Free Recovery Workshop is being held at Christ Episcopal Church, located at 912 S. Beach Blvd., Bay St. Louis on Sept. 28. Registration begins at 9 a.m. A speaker is scheduled for 9:30 a.m., with lunch from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., and ending with another speaker from 1 to 2:30 p.m. For more information and to RSVP, contact Ann L. at abm.ladner@yahoo.com, (228) 493-0539 or Helen Y. at hyshoney@juno.com. 7th tradition will be taken up to donate to the church for the use of the room.

• Join us for Butterflies in the Pass Monarch Festival on Saturday, September 28th from 10am-2pm in War Memorial Park in Pass Christian. The festival will be centered around the Billy Bourdin Butterfly Garden and Monarch Way Station inside War Memorial Park. This event will feature speakers, educational and hands on activities for all ages and a walking parade for anyone in butterfly regalia (including pets). The goal of the festival is to educate the public about Monarch butterflies and how our community can help preserve

and protect them with Monarch Way Stations. We are asking those attending to bring lawn chairs (if they are able). Butterfly theme costumes are encouraged! If the weather is bad, the event will be moved to the Pass Christian Library (located at 111 Hiern Avenue). If you need further information, please call the Pass Christian Public Library at 228-452-4596 or email passchristianlibrary@gmail.com for more information. You can also get information from Facebook (Pass Christian Library page) or follow the Pass Christian Library on Instagram.

OCTOBER 1
• WW — formerly known as Weight Watchers — will meet Tuesdays at the Hancock County Resource Center, located at 454 Hwy. 90, Waveland, led by Wellness Coach Anne Hale and team. Weigh-in (wellness check-in) at 5 p.m. and the Workshop begins at 5:30 p.m. Invite a friend.

OCTOBER 4
• Please join AARP Mississippi as we honor and support veterans, military and their families by connecting them to resources. A Veterans Town Hall is scheduled for Friday, Oct. 4 from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Biloxi Civic Center, located at 578 Howard Ave., Biloxi. Each veteran may bring one guest. Lunch will be served. Registration is required. To RSVP, please call 1-877-926-8300 by Sept. 27.

OCTOBER 5
• The 100 Men Hall, located at 303 Union St., in Bay St. Louis, is howling Night of the Arts, a fundraising showcase supporting and featuring area youth. Live music, drag show, silent auction from 6 to 9 p.m. Tickets are \$10 in advance/\$15 at the door. Dinner for purchase by Chef Chris Hayes of The Smoking Oyster. For tickets, please visit www.nota2019.eventbrite.com.

OCTOBER 6
• Does your dog need healing? Is your cat in search of spiritual enlightenment? On Sunday, October 6 at 4 p.m., St. Thomas Episcopal Church will host its annual

Blessing of the Animals in honor of St. Francis of Assisi. Everyone will meet at the outdoor chapel.

OCTOBER 18
• The 1st Sweet Mississippi Tea Festival is scheduled for Oct. 18-19 beginning at 8 a.m. at the Poplarville Town Square on Main Street. Come vote on the best teas brewed in the south. Restaurants, non-profits, coffee, and tea shops, grocery stores, and churches bring your tea and let's put it to a vote. All money raised will be used to support Main Street Charities. Come support local museum and downtown charities, listen to music, and learn about tea growing in the south.

OCTOBER 19
• The St. Clare Fall Festival is scheduled for Oct. 19 from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. There will be live bands, vendors, food, beverages, a cornhole tournament, and games for the kids.

• St Rose de Lima will present “The Mafia Murders,” a murder mystery interactive dinner theater with a cast of St Rose parishioners surely to surprise you with their antics. This fundraiser will delight you with laughter and excitement. Go back in time, the 1930's perhaps! You're invited to the Rose Room Speakeasy for a party hosted by The Don Donato Brundizzi. Come celebrate “The Family” you become part of for the evening. Leave your enemies at the door and try to solve the mysteries of the evening. Tickets are \$35.00 each or 2/\$60.00 and include salad, entree, dessert, and drink. The event begins at 6 p.m. St. Rose is located at 301 S. Necaise St., Bay St. Louis. For more information, contact Glenda Schornick at 228-263-7142.

• CASA of Hancock County's third annual Touch a Truck event is scheduled for Oct. 19 at the Hancock County Government Annex, located at 854 Hwy. 90 in Bay St. Louis, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. It is free to participate. The event gives local children and adults a chance to fulfill those childhood curiosities while learning and interacting with the businesses of the community. If you have a vehicle you'd like to register or if

you'd like to set up a booth and provide a kid-friendly activity, please contact CASA at 228-344-0419 or visit the website at www.casahancockcounty.org.

OCTOBER 23
• The Hancock County Senior Citizen Prom is scheduled for Wed. Oct. 23 from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Bay St. Louis Community Center, located by the Depot. Each senior should bring one nonperishable food item to be donated to the Hancock County Food Pantry. These items will be collected at the front door.

OCTOBER 30
• The Hancock County Youth Court, located at 126 Court St. in Bay St. Louis, is hosting Coffee with a Cop from 8 to 9:30 a.m. Baytown Pharmacy will be providing coffee and doughnuts.

NOVEMBER 2
• The Diamondhead Lions Club will host the 5th Annual “Walk for Sight” on Saturday, Nov. 2

at 9 a.m. The 5K — 3.1 miles — walk in South Diamondhead raises money for the blind and vision impaired. Walkers will register and start the walk in the green area in front of the Lazy Gator. Early registration for walkers is \$20 (\$25 on day of walk), which includes a “WFS” T-shirt and a souvenir booklet of the event. T-shirts are only available for the first 100 registrants. For more information or to register for the walk, contact Kinta Bakken at (228) 596-1121 or kintabakken@cableone.net.

NOVEMBER 23
• The Ground Zero Hurricane Museum is hosting its Christmas Bazaar from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Free admission. Pancake breakfast with Santa from 7 to 9 a.m. for \$5. There will be gifts for Christmas, clothing, jewelry, books, candles, soaps and many other crafts. The museum is located at 335 Coleman Ave. For more information, contact 228-467-9012 or Kathy at kathy@waveland-

groundzero.com.

DEC. 1
• The Gulfport Civic League will host the “Christmas on the Island” Tour of Homes from 2-4:30 p.m. on Dec. 1. All proceeds from the event will benefit those with special needs. To purchase tickets or for more information, please call 228-297-6204.

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Bay Saint Louis native Irv Cuevas (center) took an Echo on vacation and lo and behold, found Gulf Coast area ties with Ray and Dawn Heddings, shown here in Qaqortoq, Greenland August 27th. Turns out they'd met by chance at dinner onboard the Holland America Cruise Line's North Atlantic crossing from Rotterdam, Netherlands to Boston. Dawn is a native of Bogalusa, LA, and Ray lived for a while in Ocean Springs while his father did military service at Keesler AFB in Biloxi. As a further connection, each is a graduate of the University of Southern Mississippi. In addition to Greenland, the cruise ship's "Voyage of the Vikings" made stops in Ireland, Iceland, Newfoundland, and Nova Scotia.. Cuevas resides in Seal Beach, CA. The Heddings reside in Whispering Pines, NC.

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Hancock Middle School Students *of the Month*



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The Hancock Middle School 7th grade Pathfinder team recently chose their Students of the Month for August. These students are chosen based on three A's- Academics, Attendance and Attitude. Teegan DeWitt is a member of the Lady Hawks volleyball team. Outside of school, she is involved in travel softball. She enjoys playing with her dog, Nola, and competing against her brothers in volleyball. She hopes to attend Mississippi State or Alabama upon completion of high school. Brody Hilliard is a member of the BETA club, the SADD club and band. Outside of school, he participates in his church choir and takes piano lessons. He likes to go bowling, read, draw and play his instrument. After Brody graduates high school, he hopes to attend the University of Alabama.

CASA to Host 3rd annual Touch a Truck Event for Hancock County Children

SEA COAST ECHO

Remember the awe you once held for larger-than-life machines going about their seemingly impossible tasks? A fire truck racing down a street; thinking how fun a dump truck would be to operate; or if you would ever get to sit in the bucket of a tractor?

Make plans to join CASA on Saturday, October 19, 2019 at the Hancock County Government Annex, 854 Highway 90 in Bay St. Louis from 10am-2pm. It's absolutely FREE to partic-

ipate!!!

What is the CASA of Hancock County's Touch a Truck?

CASA of Hancock County's Touch A Truck event gives local children and adults alike a chance to fulfill those childhood curiosities while learning and interacting with the businesses of the community. Touch A Truck is different than a car show. Kids can interact with not only the trucks, but with the "heroes" that drive and operate them.

They can hear the sirens, watch the tractor bucket move, and learn about the safety of the

vehicles through fun and interactive games.

Participants will be able to contribute to a fun and educational day. CASA of Hancock County hopes to give back to our community that supports us so much by offering a fun, education, and FREE event for the kids of Hancock County.

If you have a vehicle you'd like to register or if you'd like to set up a booth and provide a kid friendly activity please contact CASA at 228.344.0419 or visit our website at casa-hancockcounty.org.

MDMR hosting photo contest for 2020 calendar

SEA COAST ECHO

BILOXI, Miss. – The Mississippi Department of Marine Resources is hosting a photo contest, and the winners will be used in the agency's 2020 calendar.

The deadline to submit entries is Thursday, Oct. 24.

Submitted photos should depict an aspect of the marine resources available on the Mississippi Gulf Coast, including recreational and commercial fishing, Coastal Preserves, marine plant and animal life, marsh areas, boating and Mississippi seafood. Since the photos will be used in a high-quality reproduction, submitted images must be a high resolution JPEG or .jpg file, 3 MB or greater in size, 300 dpi and a horizontal format.

Entries should be digital and emailed to publicaffairs@dmr.ms.gov by Oct. 24, along with the photographer's first and last

name, phone number, brief description or title of the photo, where it was taken and photos numbered (if submitting more than one photo).

Photos previously submitted for the agency's calendar are not eligible. For all photos submitted, photographers maintain copyright; however, photographers authorize MDMR to maintain use of all photos submitted in promoting or marketing in any future publications.

The Mississippi Department of Marine Resources is dedicated to enhancing, protecting and conserving marine interests of the state by managing all marine life, public trust wetlands, adjacent uplands and waterfront areas to provide for the optimal commercial, recreational, educational and economic uses of these resources consistent with environmental concerns and social changes.

Visit the DMR online at dmr.ms.gov.

Legendary gospel line up to hit Coast

SEA COAST ECHO

Gulf Coast vocal sensation LeKeisha Cotten is gearing up to host her third gospel awards celebration on Saturday, September 28, 2019. It will be held at the Pentecostals of the Gulf Coast, 1907 Popp's Ferry Road, Biloxi, Ms 39532.

Each year the award has grown by leaps and bounds and this year proves to be no different. "We have 330 nominees this year from 15 states. Last year, we had over a hundred nominees from 12 states", said Cotten. "We are so hum-

bled and excited to have some very special guests joining us. We have Paul Porter, Lannie Spann-McBride and Dr. Walt Whitman."

Porter, a legendary gospel quartet singer, travelled during the 80's up until the 2000s with a group by the name of the ChristianAires. Some of their hits include "Ain't no way", "Stand up" and their cover of a James Cleveland classic, "Two Wings". Porter is now signed to Motown Records. Porter shares his personal story, "I had an aneurysm in 1996. I was paralyzed and told I would

never walk again. Ten tears later, I dropped the cane and I never looked back. God has definitely been good to me."

Whitman formed the Soul Children of Chicago in 1981 as an alternative for at-risk youth to express themselves and exuberate positive energy through music. "My purpose and vision is to education the minds, elevate the spirits and illuminate the souls of our children and audiences worldwide," says Mr. Whitman. "We were not created to be a gospel

VFW Post 3253 and Aux. host Voice of Democracy scholarship contest

SEA COAST ECHO

The 2019-20 theme for the VFW Voice of Democracy Contest is: What Makes America Great!

The VFW is dedicated to promoting patriotism and investing in our future generation. If you are a democracy-loving high school student interested in winning \$5,000, these scholarships may be for you.

VOICE OF DEMOCRACY

Established in 1947, the Voice of Democracy audio-essay program provides high school students with the unique opportunity to express themselves in regards to a democratic and patriotic-themed recorded essay. Each year, nearly 40,000 9-12 grade students from across the country enter to win their share of \$2.1 million in educational scholarships and incentives awarded through the program.

The national first-place winner receives a \$30,000 scholarship paid directly to the recipient's American university, college, or vocational/technical school. A complete list of other national scholarships range from \$1,000-\$16,000, and the first-place winner from each VFW Department (state) wins a minimum scholarship of \$1,000 and an all-expense-paid trip to Washington, D.C. Want to apply? Read HYPERLINK "https://vfworg-cdn.azureedge.net/-/media/VFWSite/Files/Community/Youth-and-Education/Voice-of-Democracy-Rules-and-

Eligibility.pdf?la=en&v=1&d=20181204T184900Z" the rules and eligibility requirements, then download and HYPERLINK "https://vfworg-cdn.azureedge.net/-/media/VFWSite/Files/Community/Youth-and-Education/Voice-of-Democracy-Entry-Form-Fillable.pdf?la=en&v=1&d=20190826T190509Z" complete the 2019-20 entry form. All student entries must be submitted to sponsoring HYPERLINK "https://www.vfw.org/find-a-post" VFW Post 3253 by midnight, Oct. 31. For more information, contact Cindy Schoonmaker at cindy39520@gmail.com

PATRIOT'S PEN

Each year more than 132,000 students in grades 6-8 enter, the VFW's Patriot's Pen youth essay contest. The national first-place winner wins \$5,000 and an all-expense-paid trip to Washington, D.C. The first-place winner from each state competes for national awards totaling \$55,000, with each first-place state winner receiving a minimum of \$500 at the national level.

The essay contest encourages young minds to examine America's history, along with their own experiences in modern

American society, by drafting a 300- to 400-word essay, expressing their views based on a patriotic theme chosen by the VFW Commander-in-Chief. Want to apply? HYPERLINK "https://vfworg-cdn.azureedge.net/-/media/VFWSite/Files/Community/Youth-and-Education/Patriots-Pen-Entry-Form-Fillable.pdf?la=en&v=1&d=20190826T185420Z" complete the 2019-20 entry form.

All student entries must be submitted to HYPERLINK "https://www.vfw.org/find-a-post" local VFW Post 3253 Auxiliary by midnight, Oct. 31. For information contact Cindy Schoonmaker at cindy39520@gmail.com.

The 2019-20 theme is: What Makes America Great!

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The HANCOCK COUNTY UTILITY AUTHORITY has scheduled its October 2019 Monthly Board Meeting for Thursday, Oct. 3, 2019 @ 4:30 P.M. The meeting will be held at the Northern Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility, located at 8200 Texas Flat Road, Kiln, MS 39556.

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SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on November 15, 2011 Jamie B. Bean executed a certain Deed of Trust to John H. McWilliams, Trustee for Southern Bancorp Bank, beneficiary, which Deed of Trust was recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi in Book 2011 at Page 21296; Modified on January 28, 2013 in Book 2013 at Page 4797; Modified on February 21, 2014 in Book 2014 at Page 2889; Modification of Deed of Trust filed June 14, 2019 in Book 2019 at Page 12659; and

WHEREAS, Southern Bancorp Bank, the present owner of the indebtedness and holder of the above described Deed of Trust, appointed Jeff D. Rawlings in the place and stead of John H. McWilliams or any subsequently appointed substituted trustee, said Substitution of Trustee being recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of said County in Book 2019 at Page 9020; and,

WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said Deed of Trust, Southern Bancorp Bank, the legal holder of said indebtedness, having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and property in accordance with the terms of said Deed of Trust and for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, trustee's fees and expenses of sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jeff D. Rawlings, Substituted Trustee in said Deed of Trust, will on the 10th day of October, 2019, offer for sale at public outcry and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00p.m.), at the Front Door of the Hancock County Courthouse, located at 152 Main Street, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi to the highest and best bidder for cash the following described property situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

TRACT I: Commencing at a found 1-1/2" pipe in concrete at the northwest corner of said NE 114 of the NW 114; thence South 00 degrees 00 minutes 35 seconds West 1131.01 feet to the Point of Beginning; thence North 89 degrees 35 minutes 03 seconds East 461.61 feet; thence South 00 degrees 00 minutes 35 seconds West 188.73 feet; thence South 89 degrees 35 minutes 03 seconds West 461.61 feet; thence North 00 degrees 00 minutes 35 seconds East 188.73 feet to the Point of Beginning; said parcel of land containing 2.00 acres, more or less, and being situated in the NE 1/4 of the NW 114, Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi.

TRACT II: A 50-foot wide perpetual, non-exclusive easement for ingress-egress and utility purposes situated in the SE 1/4 of the NW 14, Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi, the centerline of said easement being more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at a found 1-1/2" pipe in concrete at the northwest corner of said NE 1/4 of the NW 14; thence South 00 degrees 00 minutes 35 seconds West 1,319.74 feet to the southerly line of the above described parcel; thence along said line, North 89 degrees 35 minutes 03 seconds East 156.45 feet to the Point of Beginning; thence South 12 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds East 109.62 feet; thence South 09 degrees 19 minutes 39 seconds West 95.47 feet; thence South 26 degrees 57 minutes 01 seconds West 157.10 feet; thence North 89 degrees 35 minutes 13 seconds West 92.63 feet to the centerline of an existing 20 foot wide easement recorded in Deed Book BB-271, Page 588, in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of said county, and the Point of Terminus.

TRACT III: An Easement for pedestrian and vehicular ingress and egress on and over the following described real property situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, described as the North 20 feet, lying East of the right of way of the Fenton Dedeaux Road, of the following described property, to-wit:

All that certain parcel of land situated in the SW 1/4 of the NW 14, Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi, being more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at a found 1-11/2" pipe at the northeast corner of said SW 1/4 of the NW 114; thence South 00 degrees 07 minutes 02 seconds East (Astronomic) 329.67 feet to the Point of Beginning; thence North 89 degrees 35 minutes 13 seconds West 499.23 feet along a fence line to a found 112 inch hexagonal rod; thence South 00 degrees 16 minutes 54 seconds West 174.74 feet to a found 112 inch rebar; thence South 89 degrees 35 minutes 56 seconds East 500.45 feet along a fence line to a found 1 inch pipe; thence North 00 degrees 07 minutes 02 seconds West 174.64 feet to the Point of Beginning; said parcel containing 2.00 acres, more or less.

I WILL CONVEY only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this the 11th day of September, 2019.

Jeff D. Rawlings, Substituted Trustee
for Southern Bancorp Bank

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GLADYS S. LEAUMONT, DECEASED
CAUSE NO: 23CH119-cv-00560-JS
SUMMONS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: HEIRS AT LAW OF GLADYS S. LEAUMONT, DECEASED
 You have been made a Defendant in a Petition filed in this Court seeking judicial declaration of the heirs at law of **GLADYS S. LEAUMONT**, deceased. The Defendant other than you in this action are: MICHELLE A. de LEAUMONT, who is alleged to be the sole heir of the decedent.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the Petition filed against you in this action at 9:30 a.m. on December 16, 2019, in the Chancery Courtroom at the Hancock County Courthouse, 152 Main Street, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39520 and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the Petition.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleadings but you may do so if you so desire.

ISSUED under my hand and seal of office, this the 18th day of September, 2019.

Timothy A. Kellar Chancery Clerk
By: Bridgette Ladner Deputy Clerk
152 Main Street, Suite A
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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK
NOTICE OF
SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, on July 22, 2008, Cynthia M. Williams, executed a Deed of Trust to Lyle M. Page, Trustee for the benefit of The Peoples Bank, Biloxi, Mississippi, which Deed of Trust is recorded in the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Land in Book 2008 at page 28528 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; and,

WHEREAS, The Peoples Bank, Biloxi, Mississippi appointed and substituted Nathan L. Prescott in the place and stead of said original trustee named in the aforesaid original Deed of Trust, by instrument filed of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk and recorded in said office in Book 2019 at page 16688; and

WHEREAS default having been made in the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust in favor of The Peoples Bank, Biloxi, Mississippi, and the holder of the note and Deed of Trust having requested the Substitute Trustee to sell the subject property, I will, on the 2nd day of October, 2019, offer for sale and sell at public outcry, between the hours of 11:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. at the main east door of the county courthouse of Hancock County, Mississippi, for cash to the highest bidder, the following described property, lying and being situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of Lot 17, FIRST WARD, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, thence North 70 Degrees West 55 feet along the North line of aforesaid Lot 17 to an iron stake; Thence Northerly on a line parallel to the line between Lots 13 and 14, Paradise Point Subdivision in the First Ward of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, 187 feet to the Southern line of Paradise Point Drive; Thence northeasterly along the aforesaid southern line of Paradise Point Drive, 64.2 feet to an iron stake; Thence Southeasterly along the line between Lots 12 and 13, Paradise Point Subdivision, 155 feet to the western line of aforesaid Lot 17 of the First Ward; Thence South 20 degrees West 117 feet along aforesaid western line of Lot 17, First Ward, City of Bay St. Louis, to the Place of Beginning; Said land being all of Lot 13 and part of Lot 14, Paradise Point Subdivision, First Ward, City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi.

I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee.

Signed, posted and advertised this 10th day of September, 2019.

NATHAN L. PRESCOTT,
SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE

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NOTICE OF
SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms and conditions of a Deed of Trust dated December 2, 2016, executed by JACLYN M. BARRACLOUGH, MARK A. BARRACLOUGH, conveying certain real property therein described to TODD STIVERSON, as Trustee, for MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS INC AS NOMINEE FOR NEW PENN FINANCIAL LLC, Original Beneficiary, to secure the indebtedness therein described, as same appears of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi filed and recorded December 22, 2016, in Deed Book 2016, Page 27581; and

WHEREAS, the beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was transferred and assigned to NewRez LLC d/b/a Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing; and

WHEREAS, the undersigned, Rubin Lublin, LLC has been appointed as Substitute Trustee; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the holder of said Deed of Trust, having requested the undersigned so to do, as Substitute Trustee or his duly appointed agent, by virtue of the power, duty and authority vested and imposed upon said Substitute Trustee shall, on October 23, 2019 within the lawful hours of sale between 11:00AM and 4:00PM at the front door of the Courthouse proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash or certified funds ONLY, the following described property situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit:

THE LAND REFERRED TO HEREIN BELOW IS SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF HANCOCK, STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, AND IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING IN THE NORTH MARGIN OF JO ANN ROAD AT THE SW CORNER OF LOT 9 IN THE SHADY OAKS SUBDIVISION, AS OF RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE CHANCERY CLERK OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, AT AN IRON PIN WHICH IS 696 FEET EAST AND 340.6 FEET NORTH OF THE HALF SECTION CORNER OF THE EAST LINE OF SECTION 30, TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 14 WEST, HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI; RUNNING THENCE WEST 200 FEET TO AN IRON PIN; THENCE NORTH WITH A FENCE 817.4 FEET TO AN IRON PIN; THENCE SOUTH 79 DEGREES 41 FEET EAST 203.3 FEET TO AN IRON PIN; THENCE SOUTH WITH THE LINE OF SHADY OAKS SUBDIVISION (AFORSAID) 781 FEET TO THE BEGINNING AND BEING A PART OF LOT 12, DIVISION OF THE J.B. NECAISE CLAIM, SECTION 38, TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 14 WEST, HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, PROPERTY ADDRESS: The street address of the property is believed to be 16103 SISTER MARY ELLEN RD, KILN, MS 39556. In the event of any discrepancy between this street address and the legal description of the property, the legal description shall control.

Title to the above described property is believed to be good, but I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee.

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GLADYS S. LEAUMONT, DECEASED
CAUSE NO: 23CH119-cv-00560-JS
SUMMONS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: HEIRS AT LAW OF GLADYS S. LEAUMONT, DECEASED
 You have been made a Defendant in a Petition filed in this Court seeking judicial declaration of the heirs at law of **GLADYS S. LEAUMONT**, deceased. The Defendant other than you in this action are: MICHELLE A. de LEAUMONT, who is alleged to be the sole heir of the decedent.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the Petition filed against you in this action at 9:30 a.m. on December 16, 2019, in the Chancery Courtroom at the Hancock County Courthouse, 152 Main Street, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39520 and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the Petition.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleadings but you may do so if you so desire.

ISSUED under my hand and seal of office, this the 18th day of September, 2019.

Timothy A. Kellar Chancery Clerk
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Sealed bids will be received by the Hancock County Port & Harbor Commission (herein called "HCPHC" or the "Owner") in the Hancock County Port & Harbor Commission's Robert Kane Administration Center, Harry Farve Board Room 14054 Fred and Al Key road, Kiln, Mississippi 39521 until October 17, 2020 P.M. at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud for the following as described in the detailed specifications:

Hancock County Port and Harbor Commission
Stennis International Airport
New Corporate Hangar - AP1806
MM-0005-1419

Construction will consist of furnishing, installing, and otherwise completing the Hancock County Port and Harbor Commission Stennis International Airport New Corporate Hangar Building as described in the Bid Construction Documents (Drawings, Specifications, and Addenda).

Project Description:
 The project will consist of new construction of a 10,000+/- Square Foot hangar building. Any Contract awarded under this Advertisement for Bids may be paid for in whole or in part with grant funding.

ALL BIDDERS must be properly licensed contractors at the time of submitting bids in accordance with the provisions of the State of Mississippi and must indicate their current Mississippi Certificate of Responsibility number on the outside of the sealed envelope containing their Bid, and on their Bid.

In the letting of public contracts, preference shall be given to resident contractors, and a nonresident bidder domiciled in a state, city, county, parish, province, nation, or political subdivision having laws granting preference to local contractors shall be awarded Mississippi public contracts only on the same basis as the nonresident bidder's state, city, county, parish, province, nation or political subdivision awards contracts to Mississippi contractors bidding under similar circumstances. Resident contractors actually domiciled in Mississippi, be they corporate, individuals or partnerships, are to be granted preference over nonresidents in awarding of contracts in the same manner and to the same extent as provided by the laws of the state, city, county, parish, province, nation or political subdivision of domicile of the nonresident. In order to assure compliance, state law requires a non-resident bidder to attach to his bid a copy of his/her resident state's current laws pertaining to such state's treatment of non-resident contractors.

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Each bid must be submitted in duplicate with bid security in accordance with the instructions to bidders which are found in the Project Manual. The Owner reserves the right to waive irregularities and to reject any or all bids.

Each electronically submitted bid must be submitted in "pdf" format and shall contain the same information and forms as required for the paper bids. Note - electronic bids must be secured with a bid bond. In the event that an electronically submitted bid has a corrupted attachment, the bid will be considered null and void.

A formal Bid bond signed or countersigned by a Mississippi Resident Agent with Power of Attorney attached, a Cashier's check, or a Certified Check for five (5%) percent of the bid amount payable to the Owner must accompany each proposal.

The HANCOCK COUNTY PORT AND HARBOR COMMISSION reserves the right to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bids received and to reject any or all bids or to award or refrain from awarding the contract for the work, whichever is deemed to be in the Owner's best interests.

In order to be considered, a bid for the Hancock County Port and Harbor Commission New Hangar Building, must be sealed, and have clearly written on the face of the envelope the following: "Sealed bid enclosed for Hancock County Port and Harbor Commission Stennis International Airport New Corporate Hangar Building to be opened 2:00 P.M. local time, Thursday, October 17, 2019.

An informational pre-bid conference and site walk through will be held on Wednesday, October 2, 2019 at 10:00 A.M. local time. The meeting will begin at the HCPHC - Robert Kane Administration Center, Harry Farve Board Room, 14054 Fred and Al Key Road, Kiln, MS, 39521, to review the project and answer contractor questions and then move to the project site for further review and questions.

A formal Bid bond, signed or countersigned by a Mississippi Resident Agent with Power of Attorney attached, a Cashier's check, or a Certified Check for five (5%) percent of the bid amount payable to the Owner must accompany each proposal.

The attention of bidders is directed to the provisions of the various sections of the Project Manual pertaining to irregular proposals and rejection of bids.

BY: Paula Jordan
 FOR: Hancock County Port and Harbor Commission
 TITLE: Commission Secretary
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SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on June 25, 2008, **Starla Saunders**, single executed a certain deed of trust to ReconTrust Company, N.A., Trustee for the purpose of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. nominee for Countrywide Bank, FSB, its successors and assigns which deed of trust is of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, State of Mississippi in Book 2008 at Page 27823; and WHEREAS, Specialized Loan Servicing LLC has heretofore substituted Shapiro & Brown, LLC as Trustee by instrument dated July 11, 2019 and recorded in the aforesaid Chancery Clerk's Office in Book 2019 at Page 16450; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said deed of trust and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, Specialized Loan Servicing LLC, the legal holder of said indebtedness, having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and property in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust and for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, trustee's fees and expense of sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Shapiro & Brown, LLC, Substituted Trustee in said deed of trust, will on October 2, 2019 offer for sale at public outcry and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.), at the front door of the County Courthouse at 152 Main St., Bay St. Louis, MS, to the highest and best bidder for cash or certified funds the following described property situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

All that certain parcel of land situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, being known as part of Lot 59, Deer Park Subdivision, more fully described as metes and bounds in Deed Book BB 268 page 541, dated 08/19/2003, recorded 08/28/2003, Hancock County Records.

I WILL CONVEY only such title as vested in me as Substituted Trustee.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE on this 27th day of August, 2019.

Shapiro & Brown, LLC
SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE

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SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on December 22, 2009, **Thomas B. Williams and Beranice Goss Williams** executed a certain deed of trust to Joy Lambert Phillips, Trustee for the benefit of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Hancock Bank, its successors and assigns which deed of trust is of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, State of Mississippi in Book 2009 at Page 36871 and re-recorded in Book 2010 at Page 473; and WHEREAS, Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. has heretofore substituted Shapiro & Brown, LLC as Trustee by instrument dated August 21, 2019 and recorded in the aforesaid Chancery Clerk's Office in Book 2019 at Page 18625; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said deed of trust and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., the legal holder of said indebtedness, having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and property in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust and for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, trustee's fees and expense of sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Shapiro & Brown, LLC, Substituted Trustee in said deed of trust, will on October 2, 2019 offer for sale at public outcry and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.), at the front door of the County Courthouse at 152 Main St., Bay St. Louis, MS, to the highest and best bidder for cash or certified funds the following described property situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

Lots 15-A and 16-A, Square 300, BAYSIDE PARK SUBDIVISION, UNIT NO. 5, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official map or plat of said subdivision on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi.

I WILL CONVEY only such title as vested in me as Substituted Trustee. WITNESS MY SIGNATURE on this 30th day of August, 2019.

Shapiro & Brown, LLC
SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE

Shapiro & Brown, LLC
1080 River Oaks Drive, Suite B-202
Flowood, MS 39232
(601) 981-9299
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09/11; 09/18; 09/25/19

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NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT UNIVERSAL STORAGE, INC., 5402 GEX DRIVE, DIAMONDHEAD, MS 39525, WILL SELL TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH THE CONTENTS OF UNIT 150, THE PROPERTY OF **JOHN BROGDON**, WHOSE LAST KNOWN ADDRESS 22366 FENTON DEDEAUX RD. KILN, MS 39556. THE SALE SHALL TAKE PLACE ON SEPTEMBER 25TH, 2 PM AT UNIVERSAL STORAGE, INC., 5402 GEX DRIVE, DIAMONDHEAD, MS 39525.

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**SECTION 00090
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NOTICE: BIDDERS**

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The right is reserved by the Owner to reject any or all bids, to waive any informalities, and to award the Contract to serve the best interest of Owner.

HANCOCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
By: Blaine LaFontaine, President
Date: August 5, 2019
09/18; 09/25/19

**IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
OF LAWRENCE COE**

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CO-PETITIONERS

**TYESA HAWKINS
CO-PETITIONER/ADMINISTRATIX**

**V.
UNKNOWN CREDITORS-AT-LAW
CAUSE NO.: 19-CV-425 (MA)**

**SUMMONS
(SERVICE BY PUBLICATION:
RESIDENT UNKNOWN)**

TO: UNKNOWN CREDITORS-AT-LAW, WHOSE WHEREABOUTS AND ADDRESS IS UNKNOWN.

YOU HAVE BEEN MADE A DEFENDANT IN THE SUIT FILED IN THIS COURT BY CO-PETITIONERS, MARY HAWKINS, ROSE COE, BEATRICE HUNTER, LOUISE MAYBERRY, DELORIS BOOTH, JAMES COE, AND TYESA HAWKINS. YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR AND DEFEND AGAINST SAID PETITION TO ESTABLISH CREDITORS ON A DATE CERTAIN SET BY FIAT, AT 9:00 A.M. ON THE 29TH DAY OF JANUARY, 2020, IN THE COURTROOM OF THE HARRISON COUNTY CHANCERY COURT, FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT, MISSISSIPPI, LOCATED AT 1801 23RD AVENUE, GULFPORT, MS 39501 AND IN CASE OF YOUR FAILURE TO APPEAR AND DEFEND, A JUDGMENT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER THINGS DEMANDED IN THE PETITION. YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO FILE AN ANSWER OR OTHER PLEADING, BUT YOU MAY DO SO IF YOU SO DESIRE. ISSUED UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF COURT THIS, THE 13 DAY OF SEPT, 2019.

(SEAL)

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR CHANCERY CLERK OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
BY: ASHLEY MILLER D. C.

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**IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
OF DALE DARR, DECEASED**

C. A. NO. 23CH1:19-CV-500-MA

CHANCERY COURT SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION ON PETITION TO ADJUDICATE THE HEIRS-AT-LAW AND NEXT OF KIN OF DALE DARR, DECEASED THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

TO: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS-AT-LAW AND NEXT OF KIN OF DALE DARR, DECEASED, UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF §991-1-27 AND §1-1-29 OF THE MISS. CODE ANN. (1972) AS REVISED AND SUPPLEMENTED.

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND COMMANDED TO PERSONALLY APPEAR BEFORE THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, MEETING IN VACATION IN THE COURTROOM OF THE HARRISON COUNTY CHANCERY COURT BUILDING IN GULFPORT, MISSISSIPPI, ON THE 6TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2019, AT 9:00 O'CLOCK A.M. TO RESPOND TO A PETITION TO ADJUDICATE THE HEIRS-AT-LAW AND NEXT OF KIN OF DALE DARR, DECEASED AND SHOW CAUSE WHY THE RELIEF SOUGHT AND PRAYED FOR IN SAID PETITION SHOULD NOT BE GRANTED.

ISSUED UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID COURT, THIS, THE 17TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A.D., 2019.

(SEAL)

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
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RESIDENT UNKNOWN)**

TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS -AT -LAW, whose whereabouts and address is unknown. You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Co-Petitioners, MARY HAWKINS, ROSE COE, BEATRICE HUNTER, LOUISE MAYBERRY, DELORIS BOOTH, JAMES COE, AND TYESA HAWKINS.

You are summoned to appear and defend against said Petition to Establish Heirs on a date certain set by Fiat at 9:00 a.m. on the 29th day of January, 2020, in the courtroom of the Harrison County Chancery Court, First Judicial District, located at 1801 23rd Avenue, Gulfport, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a Judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the Petition.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleading, but you may do so if you so desire.

ISSUED under my hand and the seal of Court this, the 13 day of Sept, 2019

(SEAL)

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR Chancery Clerk of Hancock County,
By: Ashley Miller D. C.

George Blair Law Firm, P.L.L.C.
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Holy Trinity Catholic School's Ambassadors



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The HTCS Ambassador Leadership Ministry is comprised of 5th and 6th graders. The mission of the Ministry is to develop students into Christ-like, responsible leaders while building relationships among themselves as a team, within their school, and local communities. Members will assist faculty and staff around the school; host school-wide prayer services; greet and lead tours for potential students; promote our faith through religious activities; as well as represent our school in community activities. Students were selected based on their application which described their merits in community service, academics, and leadership. Members of the HTCS Ambassador Leadership Ministry are seated from left to right: Georgie Maggio, Gracie Veazey, Elizabeth Kerner, Elijah LaBrosse. Standing: Carley Heitzmann, Michael Dawley, Nina Bradford, Ella Hayward, Stella Cappel, Loralai Williford, Madison Cox, and Ambrie Alderman.

Enrollment opens for MPACT

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The 2019-2020 enrollment period for the Mississippi Prepaid Affordable College Tuition (MPACT) program opened on September 1st. This tax-advantaged program gives families the opportunity to essentially freeze tuition in time and it can be used at public or private schools, in-state or out-of-state.

MPACT has plans for four-year colleges, two-year degrees, or a combination. With the cost of

tuition rising faster than the rate of inflation and wages, it is definitely worth looking into. Visit my website to learn more about MPACT and start investing in your child's future today.

You can enroll a newborn in MPACT year-round, but otherwise, enrollment is open from September 1 to May 31 each year.

For more information, call the Mississippi Affordable College Savings office at 800-987-4450 or e-mail MACSquestions@ms529.com*

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BWYC WINS COVETED SILVER LIPTON TROPHY



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BWYC Lipton team: (From left) Front row: Parker Eagan, Commodore Boo Heusler, Martha Heusler, Clinton Edwards, and David Blouin (Middle row) Kippy Chamberlain, Sarah Taylor Fanberg, Connor Fanberg, Susan Danielson-Allen, Addy Altese, Jackson Benvenuti, and Gilly Chamberlain (Back row) Andrew Eagan, GYC Commodore Dr. Trey Suttone, Commodore Eugene Schmitt, Commodore Zak Fanberg, GYA Commodore Shan L. Kirk and Rives Allen.

**BY JAMES KEATING
MD
CONTRIBUTING
WRITER**

The Gulfport Yacht Club (GYC) was the host of the ninety-ninth annual Sir Lipton Challenge Cup Regatta for the Gulf Yachting Association (GYA) this recent Labor Day Weekend Aug 31 – Sept. 1. The Bay Waveland Yacht Club (BWYC) won first place which entitled them to bring the coveted banner and magnificent silver trophy back to their clubhouse. Fourteen yacht clubs entered their best Viper 640 sport sailboat in this one design regatta consisting of four races. Each race had a different skipper.

BWYC finished first with scores of 1 – 2 – 1 – 1 (Total 5 points)

Archivals Southern Yacht Club (SYC) and Pass Christian Yacht Club (PCYC)

finished with scores of (Total Points) 14 and 15 respectively. Next year the Lipton Regatta will be hosted by the SYC in celebration of the 100 anniversary of this major event of the year's summer sailing season. It was in 1920 that the tea magnet Sir Thomas Lipton donated the beautiful silver trophy to the SYC for the express purpose of organizing an annual regatta of the clubs

along the coast. The BWYC has 25 wins over the last century. The SYC has 19 wins and the PCYC has 10 wins.

The winning skippers of the four races were awarded the following trophies:

Marcus Eagan (BWYC) : Floyd Davis Trophy
John A. Meade (SYC) : J. Fred Clerc Trophy
Connor Fanberg (BWYC) : Michael J. Johnson Trophy
Zak Fanberg (BWYC) : Larry Beauvais Trophy

It is noteworthy that the BWYC helmsman (skipper) for race #3 was eleven year old Connor Fanberg who is the youngest Lipton Cup skipper to win a Lipton race. He won that race by a margin of over one minute which is an eternity in racing in this type of a regatta. Skipper Conner is a six grader and straight A student at Stuart Hall School for boys and a youth competition sailor for the BWYC. He learned to sail at the BWYC and the SYC in Optimists and 420's. Connor recently won the c420 division of the Pensacola Junior Olympics Regatta with his 420 crew, Kate Gibbons. He is a 3rd/4rd generation sailor on both sides of the family and was extremely grateful to have had the benefit of such a talented, patient, and experienced crew (Andrew Eagan and Jackson Benvenuti). Eagan and Benvenuti celebrated a recent Viper 640 Viper World Championship. For over 200 hundred years Bay St. Louis has

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(From left) Jackson Benvenuti, Connor Fanberg, GYC Commodore Dr. Trey Suttone, Andrew Eagan, GYA Commodore Shan L. Kirk.

been a sleepy, little fishing village where fathers have taught their children how to sail and fish, Nowadays

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Annual “Walk for Sight” event planned for November

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The Diamondhead Lions Club will host the 5th Annual “Walk for Sight” on Saturday, Nov. 2 at 9 a.m. The 5K – 3.1 miles – walk in South Diamondhead raises money for the blind and vision impaired.

Walkers will register and start the walk in the green area in front of the Lazy Gator. Early registration for walkers is \$20 (\$25 on day of walk), which includes a “WFS” T-shirt and a souvenir booklet of the event. T-shirts are only available for the first 100 registrants.

Funds from the walk will be used by the “White Cane” fundraising arm of the Mississippi Lions Sight Foundation. That day will also be proclaimed “White Cane Day” in Diamondhead.

One of the most important services of White Cane is to support the Mississippi Lions Eye Bank. Mississippi leads the nation in per capita blindness, and approximately 15-20 percent of those individuals could have their sight restored through a corneal transplant. The Mississippi Lions Eye Bank is recognized as one of the greatest corneal eye banks in the world.

For more information or to register for the walk, contact Kinta Bakken at (228) 596-1121 or kintabakken@cablone.net.

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Porter will be the special guest and the awards will honor Spann-McBride and Whitman. For more information and to purchase tickets, please visit the website at www.gcgma.com.